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SUBJ: TEXTILES: RTG REQUEST FOR CONSULTATION LEVEL
INCREASES

REF: STATE 186175

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1. DENAI TULABUMBA, DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF
FOREIGN TRADE, MINISTRY OF COMMERCE, HAS SENT LETTER
DATED JULY 21, 1978, TO EMBASSY REQUESTING INCREASES IN
CONSULTATION LEVELS IN THREE CATEGORIES AS CURRENTLY AGREE
UPON IN THE "TEXTILE BILATERAL MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
SIGNED JUNE 4, 1978, IN PATTAYA. DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN
TRADE'S "REQUEST LIST FOR INCREASE OF CONSULTATION LEVEL"
READS AS FOLLOWS:

QUOTE
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363 TERRY & OTHER 1,000,000 45 400,000 1,400,000
PILE TOWELS

638 KNIT SHIRTS, 700,000 40 1,440,000 2,140,000
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659 OTHER APPAREL 700,000 90 1,560,000 2,260,000

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2. EMBASSY RECEIVED DEPARTMENT OF STATE'S TELEGRAM (REFTEL) FORWARDING PROPOSED TEXT OF NEW US-RTG BILATERAL TEXTILE AGREEMENT JUST AS WE WERE PREPARING TO SEND RTG REQUEST PARAGRAPH ONE ABOVE TO DEPARTMENT FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION. EMBASSY OFFICER HAS GIVEN MRS. ORANUT COPY OF PROPOSED TEXT FOR REVIEW BY RTG DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN TRADE AND EXPLAINED OVERSHIPMENT PROBLEM PARAGRAPH A REFTEL. MRS. ORANUT INDICATED SHE FULLY APPRECIATED PROBLEM AND AGREED TO SUBMIT REQUEST FOR ADJUSTMENT CATEGORY 26/27 FOR LAST AGREEMENT YEAR PER DEPARTMENT OF STATE'S SUGGESTION.

3. WHILE RECOGNIZING POSSIBLE ADMINISTRATIVE PROBLEMS IN PROCESSING RTG REQUEST FOR INCREASES IN CONSULTATION LEVELS UNDER NEW AGREEMENT PRIOR TO FORMAL EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATIC NOTES, MRS. ORANUT ASKED ON URGENT BASIS THAT REQUEST BE CONSIDERED. SHE INDICATED RTG CONSIDERS INCREASES EXTREMELY IMPORTANT TO LOCAL TEXTILE INDUSTRY.

4. MRS. ORANUT SAID SHE ANTICIPATES NO DIFFICULTY ON THAI SIDE IN EARLY EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATIC NOTES CONFIRMING NEW US-RTG BILATERAL TEXTILE AGREEMENT AS RTG CABINET HAS ALREADY APPROVED AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE. SHE UNDERLIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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